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▼ robin cobbey ---02/27/2012 05:55:43 PM---Thanks Jere, I'm trying to track down one person who has seen liquid mercury.

From: robin cobbey <cobbey@cobbey.com>
 To: Jere Johnson/R9/USEPA/US@EPA
 Date: 02/27/2012 05:55 PM
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Thanks Jere,

I'm trying to track down one person who has seen liquid mercury.

Will the community get to see the information that CMI is turning over to you?

We'll be in touch with David.

Thanks,

Robin Cobbey

On Feb 27, 2012, at 5:21 PM, Jere Johnson wrote:

Robin - Sorry it's taken me a while to respond. I've been having problems with my e-mail.

For community involvement, you should contact David Cooper of my office at 415.972.3245. He's the Community Involvement Coordinator for the Carson River site and he and I will work together on the community meetings and outreach. I know David is on the road a bit this week, but he is good about returning messages.

The letter we sent to Comstock Mining was a formal 104(e) request. It's important to remember that 104(e) just basically gives us the authority to ask for information. The requests are tailored specifically to the site and information need at hand. Other than some legal boilerplate about the duty of a recipient to respond, the nature and the scope of the 104(e) is totally customizable. Also, we can send multiple 104(e) requests if the information submitted raises additional questions or if additional site information is otherwise needed. For those reasons, some 104(e) requests are more involved than others.

I'll be working with ATSDR on the health concerns you mentioned in your earlier e-mail.

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Jere,

Who should I contact regarding community involvement? We are planning a community forum so this contact is important to establish.

Is this is a formal 104e inquiry? Yes or No?

I appreciate an answer to these questions and some I sent on Monday.

Thank you,

Robin Cobbey
Comstock Residents Association

